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**December 11-12, 2017**  
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# **CARIF 2017** 2<sup>nd</sup> CARIBBEAN INFRASTRUCTURE FORUM



Returning for its 2nd year, the **Caribbean Infrastructure Forum** hosted in coordination with our partners CIBC and KPMG, promises to be the most important infrastructure and energy forum in the region. This year, the event will look beyond the traditional pillars of infrastructure finance, to cover topics of importance to the Caribbean, such as tourism and infrastructure, the future of LNG and challenges related to procurement of assets.

A new and key feature of the event will be the Heads of State panel, on which regional leaders will provide insight into national priorities and agendas for infrastructure and energy development. Panel debates will bring together leading representatives of governments, developers, private sector financiers and multilateral institutions to discuss the pipeline for projects and strategies for financing development in the context of the unique regional dynamic.

Join us in December to hear first-hand from the individuals driving the market forward. Hear about the future of Caribbean infrastructure and the opportunities available for developers and financiers.

**“A high quality, focused event bringing together the right mix of key people and topics.”**

Doug Hewson, Managing Partner,  
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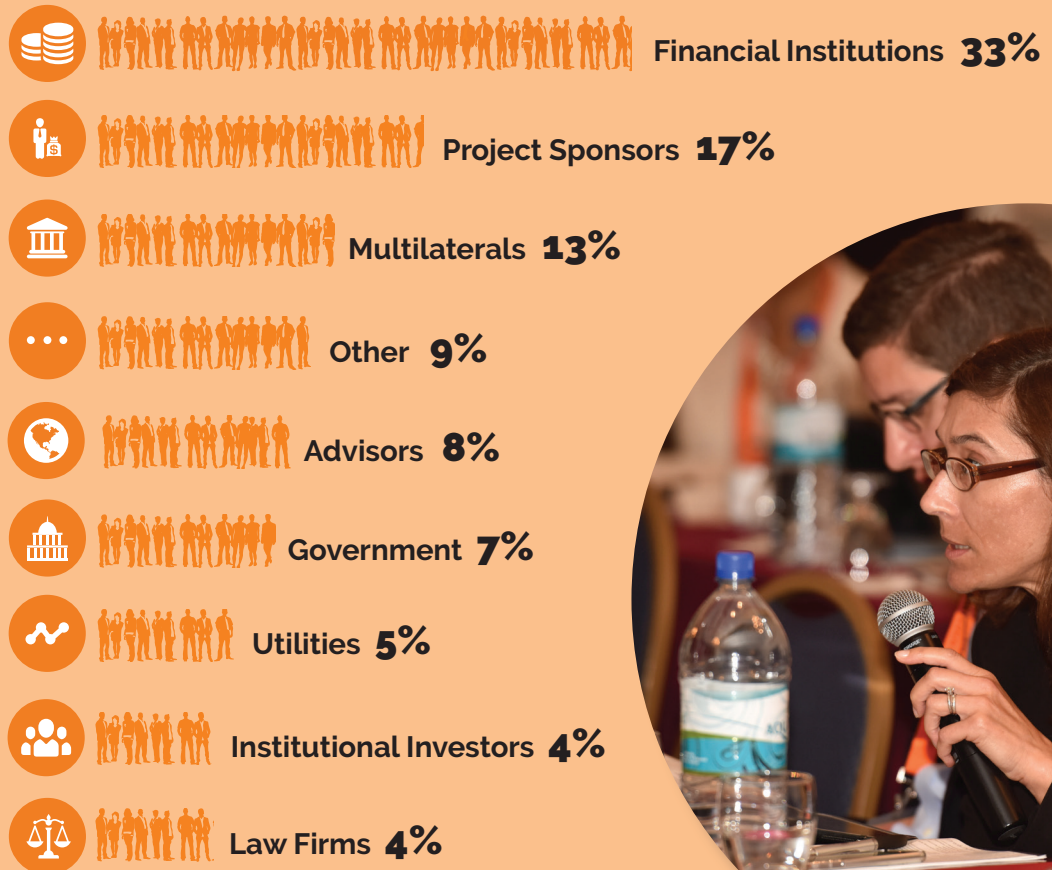
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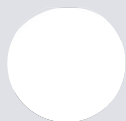
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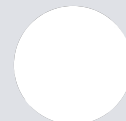


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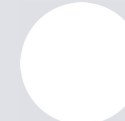
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**Hon. David Burt,**  
 Premier and Minister  
 of Finance, Bermuda

**Hon. Sharlene  
 Cartwright-  
 Robinson**  
 Premier, Government  
 of the Turks and Caicos  
 Islands

**The Most  
 Honourable Andrew  
 Michael Holness**  
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**Mark Barnett**  
 President,  
 National Water  
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**Dr. Mark Britnell**  
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 President & CEO,  
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**Audley Deidrick**  
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 Airports Authority of  
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**Doug Hewson**  
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**Devon L. Rowe**  
 Executive Director,  
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 for Development  
 Administration

**Fitzroy Vidal**  
 Principle Director,  
 Energy,  
 Ministry of  
 Science, Energy and  
 Technology, Jamaica

# Agenda:

## Day One: December 11, 2017

### 8.15 am REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS

### 8.55 am CHAIRPERSON'S OPENING REMARKS

- Senior representative, **CIBC/CIBC FirstCaribbean**

### 9.00 am WELCOMING KEYNOTE REMARKS

- The Most Honourable Andrew Michael Holness, ON, MP, Prime Minister of Jamaica**

### 9.15 am HEADS OF STATE KEYNOTE PANEL

- Hon. David Burt, JP, MP, Premier and Minister of Finance of Bermuda**
- Hon. Sharlene Cartwright-Robinson, Premier, Government of the Turks and Caicos Islands**
- Stephen Beatty, Global Infrastructure Leader for the Americas, KPMG, (Moderator)**

### 10.15 am STIMULATING THE CARIBBEAN INFRASTRUCTURE PIPELINE

Part 1: The public sector's role in enabling infrastructure investment

- Devon L. Rowe, Executive Director, Caribbean Centre for Development Administration**
- S. Brian Samuel, Head, Regional Public-Private Partnerships, Caribbean Development Bank**
- David Ehrhardt, Chief Executive, Castalia Advisors**
- Senior Representative, KPMG, (Moderator)**

### 11.00 am MORNING REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING

### 11.45 am STIMULATING THE CARIBBEAN INFRASTRUCTURE PIPELINE

Part 2: Infrastructure investors and developers' view on the future of the Caribbean infrastructure and P3 market

- Doug Hewson, Partner, Portland Private Equity**
- Cameron McKenzie, VP of Business Development and Sales, Canadian Commercial Corporation**
- Laura Andersen, Program Director, Global Energy Group, OPIC**
- Andrew Lee, Managing Director & Head US Debt Capital Markets, CIBC Capital Markets**
- Laurie Mahon, Vice Chair, U.S. Investment Banking, Managing Director and Co-Head, Global Infrastructure & Power, Global Investment Banking, CIBC Capital Markets | CIBC World Markets Corp, (Moderator)**

### 12.30 pm LNG PANEL: ASSESSING OUTLOOK FOR LNG DEMAND (INDUSTRIAL SECTOR, POWER GENERATION, CRUISE VESSEL REFUELING)

- Brannen McElmurray, Managing Director, Fortress Investment Group**
- Sean Lalani, President, Eagle LNG Partners**
- Joseph Williams, SVP Generation, JPS**
- Gillian Charles-Gollop, Executive Director, Corporate, Finance & Advisory, CIBC (Moderator)**

### 1.15 pm LUNCH

### 2.30 pm AIRPORTS: ARE P3S CREATING A COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE FOR ISLANDS?

- Audley Deidrick, President and CEO, Airports Authority of Jamaica**
- Michelle Ottey, Senior Investment Officer, IFC**
- Senior representative, **CIBC/CIBC FIRSTCARIBBEAN**
- Lester Nelson, CEO, Bermuda Airport Authority**

- Lenny Mazlish, Managing Director, Cigna Investment Management Markets**
- David Pratt, Managing Director, LeighFisher (Moderator)**

### 3.15 pm CREATING VALUE THROUGH EFFECTIVE PROCUREMENT

- Denise Arana, General Manager - PPP and Privatisation Services, Development Bank of Jamaica Limited**
- Lori Rockhead, Senior Manager, Advisory, KPMG Advisory Limited**

### 4.00 pm AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING

#### STREAM A: PORTS AND LOGISTICS, AND WATER INFRASTRUCTURE

### 4.40 pm PORT AND LOGISTICS INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE CARIBBEAN: COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE AND FUNDING OPTIONS

- Michael Maura, Jr., President and CEO, ADP Limited**
- Professor Fritz Pinnock, President, Caribbean Maritime University**
- Elva Williams - Richards, SVP Finance, Port Authority of Jamaica**
- Laurie Mahon, Vice Chair, U.S. Investment Banking, Managing Director and Co-Head, Global Infrastructure & Power, Global Investment Banking, CIBC Capital Markets | CIBC World Markets Corp, (Moderator)**

### 5.20 pm FINANCING WATER, WASTEWATER AND IRRIGATION PROJECTS: INNOVATIVE FUNDING SOLUTIONS TO SUPPORT A REVENUE-CHALLENGED SECTOR

- Mark Barnett, President, National Water Commission Jamaica**
- David Ehrhardt, Chief Executive, Castalia Advisors**
- Wilson Pearce, Executive Vice-President, Local Governance & Economic Development, Cowater Sogema**

### 6.15 pm CHAIRPERSON'S CLOSING REMARKS

### 6.30 pm DRINKS RECEPTION FOLLOWED BY CLOSING LUNCH

**“CARIF brings decision makers together to discuss current projects providing access to real deals”**

**Bruce Levy, CEO, BMR Energy**

#### STREAM B: NEW APPROACHES TO THE FINANCING & CONSTRUCTION OF RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE CARIBBEAN

### 4.40 pm PRIORITIZING CLIMATE RESILIENCE IN INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING

- Monica La Bennett, Vice President, Operations, Caribbean Development Bank**

### 5.20 pm ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGICAL SOLUTIONS TO BUILD CLIMATE RESILIENCE

- Identifying critical vulnerabilities in island infrastructure
- Options for mitigating infrastructure damage through engineering and technological innovation in new construction, and adaptation of existing infrastructure

### 5.40 pm RISK ASSESSMENT AND MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS FOR THE CARIBBEAN

- Mike Morrison, CEO and Head of Insurance, KPMG Bermuda**



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# Agenda:

## Day Two: December 12, 2017

8.30 am  
MORNING REFRESHMENTS

9.00 am  
CHAIRPERSON'S OPENING REMARKS

9.05 am  
KEYNOTE ADDRESS

- **Michael Lee-Chin**, President and Chairman, **Portland Holdings**

9.30 am  
TRANSITIONING TO UTILITIES-DRIVEN RENEWABLE DEVELOPMENT: WHAT DOES THIS SHIFT IMPLY FOR THE PIPELINE AND WHAT ARE THE ASSOCIATED OPPORTUNITIES FOR FINANCING?

- **Bruce Levy**, CEO, **BMR Energy Ltd**
- **Fitzroy Vidal**, Principle Director, Energy, **Ministry of Science, Energy and Technology, Jamaica**
- **Robert Blenker**, President and CEO, **WRB Energy**
- **Winston Watson**, Group General Manager, **Petroleum Corporation of Jamaica**
- **Emanuel DaRosa**, President & CEO, **JPS**
- Senior representative, **JN Fund Managers**, *(Moderator)*

10.30 am  
MORNING REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING

11.15 am  
NEW MODELS FOR AFFORDABLE HEALTH-CARE WHICH RESULT IN IMPROVED HEALTH OUTCOMES

- **Tawanna Wedderburn**, Chief Executive Officer, **Bermuda Health Council**
- **Dr. Mark Britnell**, Chairman and Partner, **KPMG's Global Healthcare Practice**

12.00 pm  
THE TOURISM AND INFRASTRUCTURE CONNECTION

- **Isabel de Caires**, Associate Director, Investment Banking, **CIBC FirstCaribbean**
- **Vincent Vanderpool-Wallace**, Principal Partner, **Bedford Baker Group**
- **Gary Brough**, Head of Travel, Leisure & Tourism, **KPMG Islands Group** *(Moderator)*

12.45 pm  
CHAIRPERSON'S CLOSING REMARKS FOLLOWED BY CLOSING LUNCH

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